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### **DETAILED ACTION**

1. In view of the papers filed on February 12, 2004 originally filed with incorrect serial number (see attachment), it has been found that this nonprovisional application, as filed, through error and without deceptive intent, improperly set forth the inventorship, and accordingly, this application has been corrected in compliance with 37 CFR 1.48(a). Adding a new inventor name has changed the inventorship of this application. The current inventorship, "Gregory Owen Miller, Christopher Raymond Geisen and Wenfeng Lu" has been changed to -Gregory Owen Miller, Christopher Raymond Geisen, Wenfeng Lu and Manish Bipin Talati-.

The application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) for issuance of a corrected filing receipt, and correction of Office records to reflect the inventorship as corrected.

### ***Conclusion***

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Carlos Lugo whose telephone number is 703-305-9747 or 571-272-7058 (after March 31, 2005). The examiner can normally be reached on 9-6pm EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Daniel P. Stodola can be reached on 703-308-2686. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 872-9306.

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Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-306-5771.

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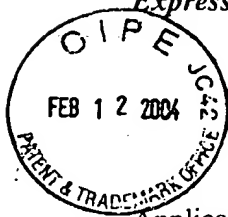
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Examiner: Lugo, Carlos

PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a))

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This Amendment and Petition is to correct the incorrect naming of inventors in the declaration under C.F.R. 1.48(a) as set forth and filed on January 11, 2002.

1. Please add the following previously unnamed person as an inventor of this application: Manish Bipin Talati.

2. Attached is:

a statement from each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent on his or her behalf (37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)(2);

a declaration executed by each of the actual inventors: *Gregory Owen Miller (2 pgs.); Christopher Raymond Geisen (3 pgs.); Wenfeng Lu (3 pgs.); and Mainish Bipin Talati (3 pgs.)* as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.63 (37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)(3);

written consent of the assignee (37 C.F.R. 1.48(a)(5)); and

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